

I am sending this comment in response to the FCC's proposal to lessen the effectiveness of Indiana's Telephone Privacy Act. We signed up on Indiana's list to not receive phone solicitations as soon as the process became available. This list has eliminated those calls almost completely. Every once in a while one slips through. We used to receive calls early in the morning before work, during the day (our machine recorder would be full) and of course the most disturbing was after work. We have very little time for family as it is. Two to three hours at night to help kids with homework, after school activities and eat dinner. This is our time to be a family. Phone solicitation calls are not on my list of family time. They disrupt us when we are eating, concentrating on homework and just being together. We do not want Indiana's Privacy Law changed in any way. It is performing as it should. We get more than enough junk mail, TV ads, and newspaper ads. If we don't hear about a certain product or service from these other areas of communication, then we obviously are not interested and do not need contacted by phone. I am not interested in talking to a telemarketer who will not take "not interested" as an answer and becomes offensive. I know I can do some process to report the employee, but I don't want to give them my time. This is the whole point. They don't deserve my time that I did not give them permission to take. Leave Indiana's Phone Privacy Act as it stands! We would not have signed up and stayed on the list if we were not completely happy with the results.

Thank you for allowing us to express our views. We hope you consider our view seriously and make no changes to lessen the effectiveness of Indiana's law.

Sincerely,

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